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In re Application ) PATENT APPLICATION  
Inventors: Charles W. Knouse )  
Minoo Gupta )  
Appl. No.: Unknown )  
Filed: Herewith )  
Title: ACCESS SYSTEM INTERFACE )

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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.53(b)**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application identified as follows:

Inventors: Charles W. Knouse and Minoo Gupta  
Title: ACCESS SYSTEM INTERFACE

No. of pages in Specification: 138; No. of Claims: 60.

No. of Sheets of Drawings: 50; Formal: X, Informal:   .

X Applicant claims small entity status.

Also enclosed are:

X A Declaration.

X An Assignment and Recordation Form Cover Sheet.

X A Power of Attorney.

   An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

X Non-publication Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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Filed		Extra					
Basic				\$355.00			
Fee				\$710.00		=	\$355.00
Total				\$ 9.00			
Claims	<u>60</u> - 20	=	<u>40</u> *	X	\$ 18.00	=	\$360.00
Independent				\$ 40.00			
Claims	<u>7</u> - 3	=	<u>4</u> *	X	\$ 80.00	=	\$160.00
First Presentation of				\$135.00			
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)		<u>  </u>		\$270.00		=	\$
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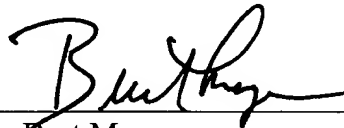
— This application claims priority to an earlier-filed Provisional patent application, as set forth more fully in this application.

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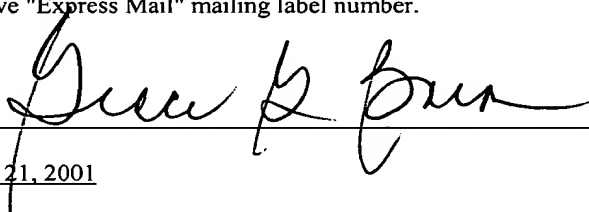
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